AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

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1. (Currently amended): A pressure-sensing connector intended more particularly for an
endoscopy system, comprising-a fluid communication path, a blind compartment that opens onto
the communication path via a duct and is:
two fluid communication paths,
two blind compartments, each of said blind compartments opening onto one of the
communication paths and being closed off by a respective membrane that deforms according to
the pressure in the respective communication path, and
a means for transmitting a quantity quantities representative of the pressure in the
communication path each of said communication paths according to the deformation of the
respective membrane,
wherein each blind compartment opens onto its respective communication path via a
respective duct,
wherein the communication path, the duct and the blind compartment the communication
paths, the ducts and the blind compartments are formed in the same rigid part to which the
membrane is membranes are attached, and
wherein said membranes move independently from one another so that the pressure in
each blind compartment can be sensed independently.

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2-3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently amended): The connector as claimed in claim 2 claim 1, wherein the two

blind compartments open onto the same communication path.

5. (Currently amended): The connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein the each

membrane closes off both-the said respective blind compartment and a respective pressure-

transmitting chamber, connected to the rigid part, in order to convert the deformation of the each

membrane into a pressure representative of the pressure in the respective communication path.

6. (Currently amended): The connector as claimed in claim 5, wherein the pressure-

transmitting-chamber is chambers are totally filled with air in order to convert the-deformation of

the membrane into an air pressure deformations of the membranes into air pressures.

7. (Previously presented): The connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein the rigid part is

provided with a polarizing feature.

8. (Previously presented): The connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein the rigid part is

made of injection-molded plastic.

9-12. (Canceled)

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13. (New): The connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein said communication paths are

located on a same side of the connector so that they can be connected in a single operation to a

coupling ring.

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